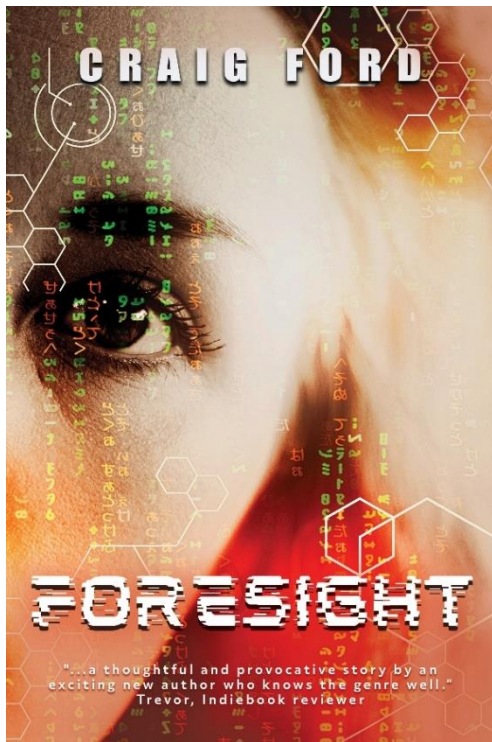


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HAVE YOU EVER DREAMED OF BEING A HACKER?

To anyone who meets her, Samantha is just a good-hearted teenager who wants to finish school and go to college.

Yet she has a secret life...

She has spent years living two lives, one as Sam which the world sees most and one as Foresight, who Sam feels is her true self where she is a passionate and gifted hacker.

She has never found a system she could not bend to her will.

She is the essence of a true magician within the dark recesses of the web which many dare not enter.

Foresight and Sam never mix.

This is something that Sam goes to extreme lengths to ensure.

These two very different lives however may be veering towards an unstoppable collision course.

The weave of tension and intrigue grows beyond her comprehension as she dives beneath the deep dark corners of the hacker world to really discover what she is made of.

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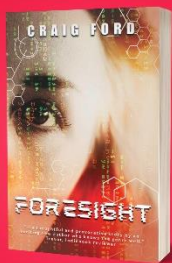


Craig is a cybersecurity engineer and ethical hacker. He has a Master's in Management (Information Technology) and a Master's in Information Systems Security from Charles Sturt University. He was awarded the AISA (Australian Information Security Association) Cyber security professional of the year 2020 and was elected AISA Brisbane branch Chair in 2021.

Craig is a freelance cybersecurity Journalist who is best known for his work on CSO Australia in which he contributed almost 100 cybersecurity articles between 2018-2020. He is a regular columnist for "Women in Security" Magazine and has contributed to the project since its inception in early 2021.

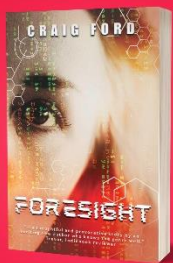
Craig has two previous books "A Hacker, I Am" and "A Hacker, I Am – Vol 2" which were self-published, these are cybersecurity awareness books which try and help educate everyone on how to be safer in this connected world.

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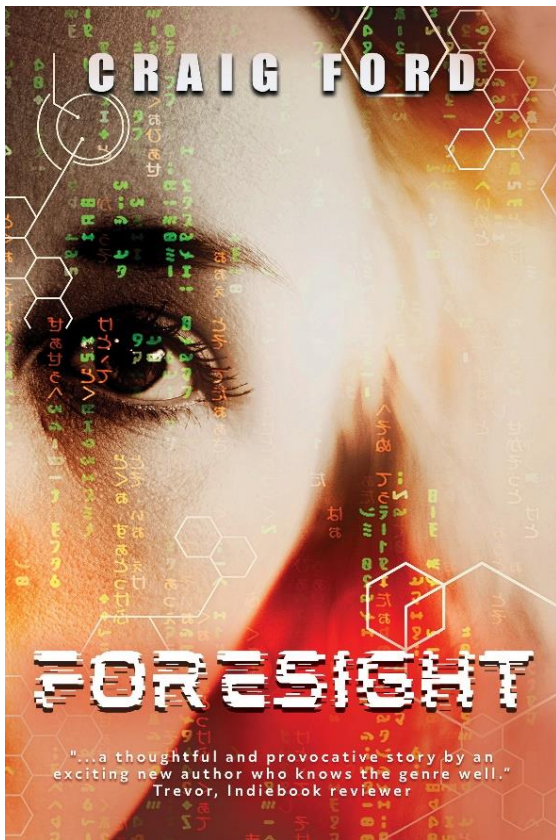
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A CONVERSATION WITH THE AUTHOR

WHY DID YOU WRITE 'FORESIGHT'? WHAT WERE YOUR INSPIRATIONS?

I wanted to write 'Foresight' to help encourage young women to consider a career in cyber security. I wanted to create a character who was strong, smart and just awesome that the girls could look up to. I wanted them to want to have a career like Sam, to be Like Sam. I think if me writing this book can bring just one more amazing girl into cyber security, it was worth all the effort.

I really feel that STEM needs a stronger diversity, and we need to encourage more women to enter the industry. To not see it as just another male dominated industry that is just techie and boring. It can be interesting and fulfilling and you can go a long way in the field. We need them all to help win the battle with regards to the avalanche of cyber threats that face us in our daily lives.

Its great if it can spark an interest with some guys as well but it was all about generating interest from women in the cyber industry.

HOW HAD YOU DECIDED ON THE BEST CHARACTERS FOR 'FORESIGHT'?

I had a character in mind for 'Foresight' right from the start, so it was pretty easy and I wanted the two main characters to be opposites. To show how easy it is to go down the dark path as a hacker, how simple choices could make a big difference.

WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS FOR YOUR FUTURE BOOKS?

I am already writing the next instalments for the current series and plan to do another cyber security book, to help educate everyone on how to be safe in this digital world we live in.

WHEN DID YOU FIRST REALIZE YOU WANTED TO WRITE?

I honestly don't recall a specific moment. I started doing cyber journalism work and just found I loved it. I started that because I saw a need to talk about issues no one else was. It all just formed from that.

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